answer is sufficiently explicit or not, these are all points that do not arise during question time.

Dr. A. R. Menon.—Because this concerns a Member of this House. If it is a comment, I shall sit down.

President.—Mr. Chanchan is a Member of this House. It is an undisputed fact. He referred to it, that is all.

Dr. A. R. Menon.—May I know whether the Police officer, who was punished, was given a chance to cross-examine witnesses who gave evidence against him ?

Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon.—I did not catch the question.

President.—Was the constable given a chance to cross-examine witnesses who gave evidence against him ?

Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon.—The answer is given.

Dr. A. R. Menon.—Why was he not given a chance ?

Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon.—The reason is also given there.

Dr. A. R. Menon.—So the party concerned in such cases is never allowed to cross-examine witnesses ?

President.—The answer is there.

Dr. A. R. Menon.—So, am I to understand that it is usual?

President.—Yes. It seems to be a regular cross-examination.

Dr. A. R. Menon.—Well, Sir, I did not ask this question simply to find my name printed in the answer paper; I have put this question with a certain purpose and to elicit certain information. It is to elucidate that information that I put all these supplementary questions. It is not simply for the sake of putting questions. It is strictly not a cross-examination.

Cheruvirutti Ayurvedic Hospital.

618. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to lay on the Table of the House the office copy of the letter referred to by the Secretary to the Diwan in answer to the supplementary questions to question No. 473 of the Legislative Session of 1102 to the effect that the contribution of Rs. 30,000 to the Cheruvirutti Ayurvedic Hospital was saddled with the restriction that it was payable only for a fixed period of time ?

Mr. U. Kandar Menon.—Yes ; it is placed on the Council Table.

Perincheri Church School.

619. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) whether the sanction of the Director of Public Instruction was obtained for dismissing Messrs. T. K. Antony, K. A. Antony and N. Subramania Ayyar, teachers in Perincheri

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